



**POLICE DEPARTMENT
CITY OF BURLINGTON**

MEDIA RELEASE

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
Larceny	May 27 th , 2017	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:	
17BU012967	Isham / Hickok Neighborhood	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
Cpl. E. Schaller	(802) 540-2282	
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:	
D.C. Burke	D.C. Burke	
VICTIM:	AGE:	VICTIM ADDRESS:
Multiple		Burlington, VT
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Morningstar Porta	37	Essex Jct, VT
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:		
Issued a citation to appear on June 22 nd , 2017 – Petit Larceny		

NARRATIVE:

On May 27, 2017 at approximately 12:30 AM, plants were stolen from outside multiple residences on Isham Street and Hickok Place in the City of Burlington. The stolen horticulture included flowers from a greenbelt box, basil plants, and flower pots from a front porch. A witness to the crime took photographs of the suspect's vehicle to include the vehicle's registration plate. Investigators were able to identify the registered owner of the vehicle, Moringstar Porta of Essex Jct. Porta's physical description matched the suspect description given by multiple eye witnesses. Investigators later met with Porta and confirmed her involvement in this crime. Porta was issued a citation for Petit Larceny and is due in court on June 22nd, 2017.